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In re Application of)
KOMURO, et al.)
Application No.: 09/664,992)
Filing Date: September 18, 2000)
For: A METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR)
TRANSFERRING INFORMATION)
USING AN ENCRYPTION)
MODE INDICATOR)

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on March 29, 2004, Applicants respectfully request further examination and reconsideration of the above captioned patent application in view of the amendments and arguments set forth below.

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